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Group Art Unit: 2811

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98

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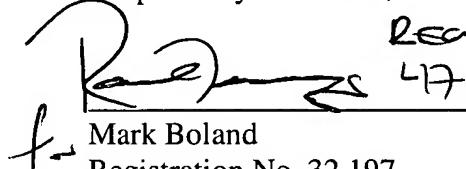
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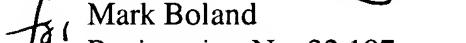
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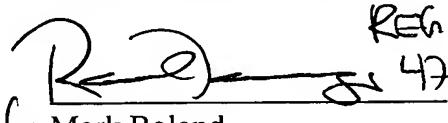
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Sir:

Submitted herewith please find 2 sheet(s) of drawings in compliance with
37 C.F.R. § 1.84. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these
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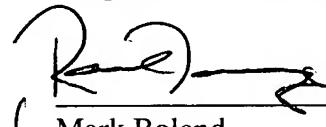
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